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Until further notice store will open at 8:30 a. m. and remain open till 6 p. m.

Special Sale of Rugs.

(Oriental and Domestic.)

TODAY we shall inaugurate a special February Sale of Rugs—orientals and domestics—in carpet and smaller sizes, that we must dispose of before the arrival of the new spring stock. Included are beautiful and choice specimens embodying those mellow colorings and artistic designs typical of the orient, and such as are found only in rugs of the higher class, as these are.

Also a large collection of Domestic Rugs at clearance prices. This sale affords an aggregation of values that is exceptional, and enables you to purchase rugs of strictly high character at very low prices.

One lot of Turkish, Hammedan, and Ghendjes Rugs, among them being some of very heavy quality. Rich patterns to select from.

\$5.75. Were \$8.00 and \$10.00.

One lot of real Persian, Shirvan, and Karabagh Rugs, including a number of soft antique pieces in rich colorings. Also some new Shirvans in bright colorings.

\$10.75. Were \$12.50 and \$15.00.

One lot of Shirvan, Daghestan, and Moussoul Rugs—rugs that suit any style of furnishing, and shown in a variety of colorings.

\$12.50. Were \$15.00 and \$17.50.

Also a lot of large rugs, including Cashmeres, Afghans, Muskabods, Sultanabods, Mohals, and a choice lot of very fine Amritzer India Rugs, the colorings of which we guarantee to be pure vegetable dyes; all hand-woven, and from 64 to 100 tied knots to the inch.

\$60.00 to \$300.00.

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Domestic Rugs at About

20 Per Cent Less Than Regular Prices.

Now.	Were.	Now.	Were.
2x12-ft. French Wilton Rugs.....	\$45.00 \$60.00	10x12-ft. Brussels Rugs.....	\$22.50 \$29.50
2x12-ft. Anglo-Indian Rugs.....	\$50.00 \$60.00	8x12-ft. Brussels Rugs.....	\$10.00 \$15.00
2x12-ft. Wilton Rugs.....	\$32.50 \$40.00	2x6-ft. Wilton Rugs.....	\$6.00 \$8.00
2x12-ft. Brussels Rugs.....	\$30.00 \$40.00	2x6-ft. Smyrna Rugs.....	\$7.00 \$11.50
2x12-ft. Serend Rugs.....	\$25.00 \$30.00	2x12-ft. Smyrna Rugs.....	\$8.00 \$12.00
2x12-ft. Roly Brussels.....	\$22.50 \$27.50	2x12-ft. Wilton Rugs.....	\$10.00 \$15.00
2x12-ft. Smyrna Rugs.....	\$20.00 \$27.50	2x6-ft. Bath Rugs.....	\$1.25 \$2.00
2x12-ft. Brussels Rugs.....	\$15.00 \$17.50	2x6-ft. Bath Rugs.....	\$1.50 \$2.50
2x12-ft. Kashmir Rugs.....	\$10.00 \$12.50	2x6-ft. Cotton Wilton Rugs.....	\$1.25 \$1.75

Also a small lot of Arlington Rugs, in attractive patterns; size 3x6 feet.

\$6.50 each. Value \$8.00.

Fourth floor.

February Sale of Housefurnishings.

WE SHALL begin our annual February sale of Housefurnishings, during which we shall offer many unusual values in Cooking Utensils, Woodenware, Tinware, Japanned Ware, Brushes, and the thousand and one small household needs and helps known as housefurnishings.

We shall also offer during the month several special values in China-ware, Glassware, Lamps, &c.

We have made an effort to have this February sale particularly interesting. We've gathered the best kinds of household wares and we've priced them so reasonably that the opportunity must appeal to all who appreciate worth and economy.

This week's specials represent very attractive values.

Imported Decorated Platter Special.

We offer two lots of Decorated Meat Dishes, in assorted sizes, and in a variety of dainty decorations, both with and without gold edges. These are worthy of your inspection.

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Regular prices, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Lot No. 2—\$1.00 each.

Regular prices, \$2.50 and \$3.00 each.

Special Offering of Glass Vases.

These are always useful, and the opportunity to economically supply any need in this direction should not be neglected. Assorted sizes with a dainty cut pattern. They are offered at

15c, 25c, 35c, and 50c.

Were 25c, 35c, 50c, and 75c.

Imported Decorated China At Special Prices.

We invite attention to an assortment of Chop Plates, Salad Bowls, Tankard Vases, Cake Plates, and Sugar and Cream Sets. Among these will be found many rich one-of-a-kind patterns. The price at which they are offered is—

About Half the Regular Value.

Fifth floor.

Thin-blown

Tumbler Special.

We offer a lot of Plain Thin-blown Table Tumblers at the special price of

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For desserts. Especial attention is invited to the comprehensive line we are showing. Heart Shape Molds for Valentine Day; Fruits of many sorts; also the plainer molds in various sizes, priced from

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A lot of China Sauce Dishes, in assorted sizes and decorations. Attention is invited to the price at which they are marked.

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IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

President and Mrs. Roosevelt Are Entertained.

GUESTS AT HITCHCOCK PARTY

Last Formal Entertainment Given at Home of Secretary of the Interior. Comptroller and Mrs. Ridgley Hosts at Dinner to Vice President. Speaker and Miss Cannon Guests.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt were the guests of the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Hitchcock last evening, when these outgoing officials entertained at their last formal party. The spacious drawing-room suite, with music-room beyond, was profusely decorated in white roses, lilacs, and Farleyense ferns, with the richly appointed table decorated also in white lilacs and roses. The candles lighting the board were capped in white and silver.

To meet the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were present Mr. Justice and Mrs. White, Senator and Mrs. Spooner, Senator and Mrs. Knox, Gen. and Mrs. Alexander G. Sharpe, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cowles, Brig. Gen. Ernst, Mr. C. C. Glover, and Miss Hitchcock.

The Comptroller of the Currency and Mrs. Ridgley entertained at dinner last evening the Vice President, the Russian Ambassador and Baroness Rosen, the Secretary of War and Mrs. Taft, the Minister from Norway and Mrs. Haug, Senator Frye, Senator and Mrs. Culom, Mr. and Mrs. Tiffany Dyer, and Mrs. William P. Eno, Commander and Mrs. Southernland, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Austin Harlow, Mrs. Barney, Miss Ridgley, and Mr. August Franzan, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Shonts entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Speaker and Miss Cannon, to meet whom were present Senator Millard and Miss Millard, Gen. and Mrs. Elliott, Gen. and Mrs. Gillespie, Representative and Mrs. Henry Sherman Boutell, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Moran.

Miss Lena Hemmenway, the debutante daughter of Senator Hemmenway, of Indiana, was the guest of honor at a tea for young people yesterday, with Mrs. Timmons, daughter of the Vice President, as her hostess.

Mrs. Timmons and Miss Hemmenway received in the large drawing-room, the debutante, who is a girl of many accomplishments, as well as personal charm, looking very pretty in an Empire gown of spangled tulle over white silk, with slight touches of pink panne velvet about the upper part of the bodice. Miss Hemmenway carried two large bouquets, one a cluster of violets and the other of pink roses and lilies.

In the large dining-room Mrs. Huntington Wilson and Mrs. Albert Key poured tea and chocolate at either end of an oblong table decorated in yellow jonquils and white lilacs. Other assistants of the afternoon were Miss Cannon, Mrs. John F. White, Miss Perkins, Miss Louise Maxwell, and Miss Foulke. The presence of the Vice President during the reception added greatly to the interest of Miss Hemmenway's formal entrance into Washington society.

Senator and Mrs. Elkins entertained at dinner last evening Senator Perkins, Mrs. Shaw, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury; Representative-elect and Mrs. Hobson, Representative and Mrs. Gales, Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Dr. and Mrs. Mariett, Mrs. Audenried, Miss Shaw, Miss Perkins, Miss Clarke, of Morristown, N. J.; Mr. Richard Fairbanks, Mr. Rayburn, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Frank Poe, and Miss Elkins.

Miss Gladys Newberry, of Detroit, who is visiting her uncle, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and renewing many of the delightful acquaintances made three years ago, when her mother had an apartment at the Portland, was the guest of honor at a delightfully arranged dinner party last evening, at the home of Com. and Mrs. Schermerhorn.

The company included Miss Nugent, who is visiting Miss Cannon; Miss Carolyn Huff, Miss Jennings, Miss Fredericka Morgan, Capt. Harding, U. S. M. C.; Lieut. Sheridan and Lieut. McArthur, both of the army; Lieut. John P. Jackson, U. S. N.; Mr. Murray Cobb, Mr. James Williams, and Mr. William Marrow, the Misses Southernland, and Capt. and Mrs. Sumnerline, the latter acting as hostess for Commander and Mrs. Southernland, who were dining out.

Major and Mrs. Symons entertained last evening at a dinner party for young people complimentary to Miss Burghwin of Pittsburgh, who is the guest of their debutante daughter, Miss Margaretta Symons. The additional guests were Miss Evelyn Chew, Miss Jessie Steele, Miss Shonts, Miss Williams, Mr. Royards, of the Netherlands; Mr. Pol Le Teller, of the Belgian Legation; Mr. Hanthara, of the Japanese Embassy; Commander Jewell, and Dr. Dixon, of the navy, and Capt. Kelly, of the army.

The First Secretary of the French Embassy entertained a dinner company last evening which included Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Legare, Mrs. Townsend, Capt. and Mme. de Blainville, Miss Wallach, Miss Des Portes, Mr. Walter V. Berry, Prince Lyman, and Count d'Admiral.

The Misses Kaufman, of Rhode Island avenue, have recalled the cards to their tea on Thursday, owing to a bereavement in the family.

Dr. and Mrs. Goldsborough entertained last evening at a dance for young people complimentary to their debutante daughter, Miss Frances Goldsborough, who fully maintains the reputation for charm and beauty established by her elder sisters.

The latter, with Mrs. Goldsborough, assisted in receiving the guests.

The hostess wore a handsome gown of black velvet; Miss Goldsborough and Miss Mary Goldsborough, light-green satin.

and the debutante a very becoming gown of white satin. There was no cotillion, but a very merry supper at 12 o'clock. The Marine Band orchestra furnished the music.

Among the guests were Miss Stephanie Nesoot, Miss Eleanor Slater, Miss Morgan, Miss Molly Dodge, Miss Chow, Miss Crawford, Miss Leutz, Miss Schroeder, Miss Clabaugh, Miss Denny, Miss Jennings, Miss Juliet Williams, Miss Steele, Miss Olga Converse, Miss Wells, and Miss Dowling, all debutantes of the early winter, and Miss Loring, Miss Townsend, Miss Le Bourgeois, Miss Southernland, Miss Stevens, Miss Miriam Crosby, Miss Jean Crosby, Miss Gertrude Williams, Miss Oliver, Miss Alice Shepard, Miss Slonits, Miss Carlisle, Miss Terry, Miss Cassels, the Misses Perkins, Miss May, Count Bernstoff, Mr. Seeds, Mr. Szent-Ivany, Mr. E. B. McLean, Mr. Bingham, Mr. Lincoln, Mr. Wyeth, Mr. Owen, Mr. Kearley, Mr. Harris, Mr. Bloomer, Mr. McGowan, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Malone, Mr. Dan Duncan, Mr. Riggs, Mr. Carlisle, Mr. Stead, Mr. Jewell, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Chew, Mr. Brown, Mr. Davids, Mr. Wilkie, Mr. Malinas, Mr. Le Teller, Mr. Benavides, Mr. Hanthara, Mr. Barry, Mr. Bernudez, Mr. Cassels, Mr. Williams, Mr. Keith, Mr. Crawford, Mr. Siebert, Mr. Heald, Mr. Underwood, Mr. Chambers, Mr. Plournoy, and Mr. Myers.

Mrs. Bonaparte will hold the last of her Wednesday receptions this afternoon from 4 to 6 at the Portland.

Mrs. Harry Phelps will receive next Friday afternoon for the last time this season.

Mrs. R. J. Watkins receives for the last time this year at her home, 1410 M street, this afternoon.

Mrs. John A. Logan's last receiving day for this season will be to-morrow.

Mrs. J. Wesley Bovee will entertain at tea this afternoon from 5 to 7 at the Rochambeau.

The Washington Readers' Club, for the study and interpretation of literature through the medium of dramatic art and elocution, held its last meeting at the residence of Mr. N. W. Selah.

The programme was in charge of Prof. Charles Richardson, of the Maryland Agricultural College, and was a departure from the usual course of study pursued by the club. Certain members were designated, each to read and interpret a selection which in his individual opinion constituted the best example of the beautiful in English literature. Mrs. Josephine Arnold Smith, secretary of the club, gave selections from Milton, Keats, and Shelley; Mrs. M. Landon Reed gave a rendering of the poem, "Waiting," by John Burroughs; Mr. William H. Saunders, president of the club, followed with "The Closing Scene," by Thomas Buchanan Read; Mr. Fred Barbour came next with "In Memoriam," by Tennyson; Miss Hinda Burke selected a portion of Emerson's essay on "Illusions"; Miss E. E. Marshall gave selections from Whitier; Miss Grace Ross followed with "Crossing the Bar," by Tennyson; Prof. Charles Richardson, after some comments on the differing conceptions of the beautiful, gave the "Ode to the Skylark," by Shelley. After the close of this part of the programme, Prof. Charlesmagne Koehler entertained the club by his artistic rendering of the poem, "The Seven Ages of Man."

Announcement comes from Boston of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lincoln O'Brien, formerly of Washington, and who now reside at Allston. Mr. O'Brien is managing editor of the Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Charles H. Fishbaugh and Mrs. Paul Whitney Fishbaugh will be at home at 1701 K street for the last time to-day.

Mrs. William C. Fox, of the Wyoming, will not receive to-day, but will be glad to see her friends informally during the remainder of the month.

"DEMOCRATS" WIN ELECTION

Graduating Class of Law School Names New Officers.

Affair Is Marked by Keen Rivalry and One Feature Is Issuance of Imitation Newspaper.

If the election of the class officers of the graduating class at the National University last night presages political results in the larger national field, the Democrats will win in a walk in 1908. There was a division in the class, and while everything was in the best of good nature, it was a walk-over for the Democrats, and the Republicans, as their spokesmen designated the party in power, were given a lemon.

The officers elected were: President, J. D. Carpenter, of North Carolina; vice president, T. W. Brumhall, of the District of Columbia; recording secretary, A. McK. Runnels, of Virginia; corresponding secretary, L. J. Nava, of the Philippine Islands; treasurer, G. B. Plindle, District of Columbia; sergeant-at-arms, F. E. Suits, of Oklahoma; executive committee, U. W. Youngblood, of Indiana; G. L. Townsend, of New Jersey, and C. R. Marshall, of New York.

A feature of the elections was the Extra Star, which was issued by the victorious party, and printed during the afternoon. But one man was "in" on this proposition, and had the results been different the Extra Star would never have seen the light. The paper was neatly printed, contained a burlesque on the various departments of a regular newspaper, including the weather report, "fair and warm;" guaranteed circulation, "2," and "idiotical" department. Other departments contained telling puns on the names of the various men of the class, especially those of the losing party. M. R. Bevington, of Indiana, the retiring president, had the thanks of the class for his square deal to both parties.

THREE WILLS FILED.

Show How Three Estates Have Been Disposed Of.

The will of Elsie Jane Quackenbush, dated November 13, was filed for probate yesterday. Her husband, Isaac Quackenbush, is named as the sole beneficiary and executor. It is stipulated, however, that in the event of his death the property be divided in equal shares between the testatrix's stepson, Milt Quackenbush, and her daughter, Nellie E. Lord. Mrs. Quackenbush died December 11, last.

Elwood O. Wagenhorst is named as executor of the will of Zenas C. Robbins, who died January 26, last. The will is dated May 5, 1902. The executor and trustee named is directed to sell the property of the testator and distribute the proceeds to Henry Alfred Robbins, a son, and his wife, Lillie Alfred Robbins, for the care of the testator's widow, Mrs. Mary J. Robbins; Alfred McCullum Robbins, a grandson, and his son and daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Eliza Aiken, by her will, dated October 1, 1905, gives to her son, George R. Aiken, a life estate in 46 C street, southwest, to son, Joseph D. Aiken, he devised the property, 403 C street southwest, to daughter, Isabella Aiken Williams, 47 C street southwest; to daughter, Jennie Aiken, 453 C street southwest, and to daughter, Ella Aiken Northedge, 450 C street. Lewis I. O'Neal is named as executor.

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WASHINGTON FLORISTS MEET

New Varieties of Carnations Pass Award Committee.

Club Proposes to Entertain American Rose Society in Washington During Coming Month.

It was "carnation night" at the meeting of the Washington Florists' Club last evening, at Gude's Hall. Several new varieties of the "McKinley flower" were on exhibition for the first time, and were much admired by the members of the club. Among the new varieties submitted for prizes were: "The Window," a flesh pink flower of delicate and beautiful color, sent by F. R. Pierson, of Tarrytown, N. Y. It received high favor from the committee of award. Another variety submitted by Mr. Pierson was the "White Enchantress," a snowlike carnation, delicate of petal and rich in bloom. "Terrorator" was another blossom, pink within, shading to white on the margins of the petals, which were "buzz saw" at the edge, and one of the most perfect carnations ever grown. It was submitted by Weber & Son, of Oakland, Md., and received 99 points in 100 in excellence from the committee. "Mabelle" was a dark pink variety of splendid color, also submitted by Weber & Son.

As a part of the routine business of the club officers were nominated for the ensuing year, to be balloted for at the March meeting. The officers nominated were: President, Peter Elisset; vice president, Z. D. Blackstone; secretary, Charles McCauley; treasurer, William F. Gude; directors, Charles Henlock, George Shaffer, F. H. Kramer, and W. I. Clarke.

A good part of the meeting was taken up with preparations for the annual meeting of the American Rose Society, which will be held in this city March 13, 14, and 15, in the armory of the Washington Light Infantry. This association is made up of the principal rose growers of the United States, and was organized in March, 1883.

HOSPITAL BENEFIT DRAWS.

Many People Attend Entertainment Given by Church Society.

The home of Mrs. G. M. Husted, 1322 Fairmont street, was well filled last evening, the occasion being a tea and musicale for the benefit of the Episcopal Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital, the entertainment being given under the auspices of St. Stephen's Church committee.

The following programme was given during the evening: Mrs. Charlotte G. Lippitt, contralto solo; Miss Rosalie Heiberg, contralto solo; Miss Minna Heinrich, violin solo; Miss Blake, Columbia, Ohio, soprano solo; Phillip Scantling, tenor solo; Roland Roderick, baritone solo; Miss Estelle Goodrick, contralto solo; Mrs. F. W. True, piano solo; Frank Allen, piano solo; Mrs. John D. Kendall, piano solo; Mrs. Olin Leach, contralto solo; Oscar Comstock, piano solo; quartet, Miss Lillian M. Lewis, soprano; Mrs. Theresa Dudley Dill, contralto; Rev. George S. Dudley, tenor; and Henry H. Talmadge, bass, selections.

GEN. S. B. HOLABIRD BURIED.

Remains Interred in Officers' Plot at Soldiers' Home Cemetery.

Gen. S. B. Holabird was buried yesterday, the funeral services being held at the family residence, 1311 P street northwest.

Rev. Clement Brown, of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension, conducted the services. Interment was made in the Soldiers' Home Cemetery in the plot reserved for officers. Only intimate friends of the deceased were present.

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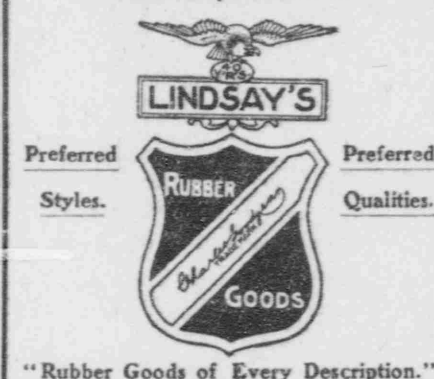
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FUNERAL OF DR. RODRIGUEZ.

Services Held at St. Matthew's Roman Catholic Church.

Funeral services over the remains of Dr. Jose Ignacio Rodriguez, librarian and chief translator of the International Bureau of the American Republics, were held at St. Matthew's Catholic Church yesterday.

Rev. Father Buckley conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Fathers Cooper and Lee. A eulogy was delivered by Father Buckley. Interment was made in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

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